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1. Per your request, a security review by appropriate authorities including the Chairman, COMIREX, the Executive Secretary, SIGINT Committee and the Chief, Special Security Unit, DDO, was conducted on the draft annexes to the Murphy Commission report.

2. A few points:

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[REDACTED] review includes criteria problems related to the continued classification of the "fact of" satellite reconnaissance. We agree that it is highly questionable whether this "fact of" would pass current classification criteria tests. Nonetheless, we are compelled to comply with existing security rules and feel we should point this out to the Commission.

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[REDACTED], acting for the SIGINT Committee, recommended just two deletions which did not lend themselves to rephrasing. The DDO has no deletions or alternate language that they would want to make.

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3. The review is attached to a draft letter for your signature to [REDACTED]

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